

fire, and that I had made up my mind to vote for him. Several staunch Whigs told me that they believed they would vote the same way, and so did. The ticket which I voted was one of the printed packet, headed,

"Independent Democratic Jackson Ticket."

J. F. H. Claiborne,
S. S. Prentiss.

This appeared to me so inconsistent that I tore off the heading, and put in the same way, and so did. The ticket which I voted was one of the printed packet, headed,

Respectfully yours, &c.
CHARLES WOODWORTH."

From the same.

I have just read Gov. Hamilton's letter. I hope it will give you some satisfaction to learn that I concur with him almost entirely. I will cheerfully vote for the amendments which he suggests, with the view of putting into operation a National Bank."

In addition, we add the following, addressed to a gentleman at Raymond, and handed us for publication. The Dr. Woodward named in the letter to Mr. Herd is one of the signers:

NEW TOWN, Hinds Co. Sept. 7, 1837.

We, the undersigned, do certify, that we did hear Mr. J. F. H. Claiborne assert, in the most positive terms, in the town of New Town, a few days previous to the election, that he "was in favor of a National Bank, entirely disconnected with Executive control, and which would be the means of establishing a sound currency, and the only means by which the people can be relieved from their present pecuniary embarrassments."

Given under our hands this 30th September, 1837.

B. J. WOODWARD.
PERRY KING.

Quite a pretty mass of evidence! and beautifully consistent with the extract which we have entitled THE TEXT! What is the meaning of such conduct?

We conjecture, that the Colonel expected to be left at liberty to vote as he or his constituents might think right; but about the close of the election, or soon afterwards, he received orders from Washington, directing him to retract some of his pledges. This is confirmed by his declaration quoted by Mr. Prentiss, amounting almost to a pledge that he will vote for any thing that Mr. Van Buren will propose.

If this is the doctrine of the Van Buren party, we see no use in having elections. Let the President appoint the members at once—it will save both trouble and expense. We have seen statements making it almost certain, that Col. Claiborne intends claiming the seat for two years, under the late election. We are not surprised at his readiness to usurp this power, and his unwillingness to trust himself again before an indignant constituency.

COL. GRIMBALL.—This worthy is dead, and we have half a notion of writing his funeral oration. He fell a victim to a pretended horror of nullification. There is no one left to write his eulogy. Both parties repudiate him—and he has been left to glide down to his political grave "unhonored and unsung." No party, no press, no man will now support him. On the contrary, all speak of him in terms of contempt and scorn. There are some other political aspirants in Col. Grimball's neighborhood who entertain similar sentiments; but we will warn them in time to read their fate in the political death of this would be governor, if ever they come before the people of the State for official honors. Those to whom we allude will understand this hint. While they denounce nullification they shall have no State offices unless they go over to the Van Buren ranks. At present, however, the tory ranks are full, and there is no demand for these whig tory, or hybrid politicians.—Vicksburg Sentinel and Exp.

It would seem, from the latest accounts, that there is likely to be trouble in the wigwam at Washington. The President's urgent recommendation of the sub-treasury system has not met with the approbation of all his adherents, and a split in the party will of consequence take place. The great majority of the supporters of the administration give their suffrages in favor of the scheme of divorcing the government from the banks, and committing the custody, transfer and disbursement of the public revenue to the officers of the government, while another division of the party, inferior in numbers, but formidable for talent and influence, lean towards measures of a more moderate and conservative character, recommending the re-establishment of a National Banking Institution, under guarded limitations and judicious restrictions. This early schism in the ranks of the administration looks rather ominous. It does not require the gift of vaticination, to foresee, that a strong and rough sea lies before the Bark of State. To pilot her through the treacherous waters would tax to their utmost the tact and cunning devices of the most practised magician. Already do "coming events cast their shadows before." The election of Mr. Allen to the office of printer to the House, in spite of the strenuous

efforts of the political friends of the Executive, proves conclusively that a formidable opposition to the administration is even now organized and in triumphant operation. The relative strength of the parties was in that balloting fully tested. The Whigs discovering their inability to elect their own candidates, threw their influence into the scale of the conservative party, whose moderate views and temperate policy, contrasted with the ultra-principles and insane imaginations of the antagonist faction, entitled them to a more favorable consideration, and to preference. To choose the least of two evils is the part of wisdom. This bold movement swayed the tide of battle, and resulted in a signal defeat of the administration candidate.—N. O. Bulletin.

Oh, lovely child, far could we hear
The happy babe's voice,
We would not drop another tear,
But triumph and rejoice.

J. F. H. CLAIBORNE.—We promised, a short time since, to give our reader another of Mr. Claiborne's letters written on the eve of the election, which will add another to the many already given of his political shuffling and double dealing on the subject of the National Bank. We have lately seen so many of a similar kind, and have heard so much oral testimony, that we give this only to save our promises, believing that every man who has considered the subject must be convinced that Mr. Claiborne acted two parts in the last canvass for a seat in Congress. Thursday morning.

Dear Sir:
I called at your house to-day, being anxious to see you and talk freely over public affairs. I regret your absence exceedingly. As an old friend, I am extremely anxious to have the advantage of your good opinion and influence in the coming election. I flatter myself that my general course in Congress has met your approbation, and on that subject I refer you to our friend, Judge Black. For my opinion on the currency and on a bank, as I have no time to go into detail, I refer you to Gov. Lynch, with whom I spent last night. I concur with him in opinion, and hope it will meet your approbation.

I received a letter from Judge Sterling a few days since. He informs me that I will get an almost unanimous vote in his circuit. Hoping that I may find you at home on my return after the election, I remain, very respectfully,
Your friend,
J. F. H. CLAIBORNE.

J. J. MORRIS, Esq.

Mr. Van Buren in his Message says, the State Bank system has been sufficiently tried, and will not do. Read the following with Gen. Jackson's comment:
THE DEPOSITE BANKS.

TEXT.—"I sincerely believe that the PUBLIC FUNDS can be as SAFELY and CONVENIENTLY TRANSMITTED from one portion of the Union to another,—that DOMESTIC EXCHANGES can be as successfully and cheaply effected, and the CURRENCY at least as sound under the EXISTING SYSTEM OF STATE BANKS, as these objects could be accomplished by a National Bank."—Mr. Van Buren to Sherrod Williams.

COMMENT.—"The history of the world never has recorded such BASE TREACHERY and PERFDITY, as has been committed by the DEPOSITE BANKS against the Government, and purely with a view of gratifying BIDDLE and the BARINGS, and by the suspension of specie payments, degrade, embarrass, and ruin, if they could, their own country for the selfish views of making large profits by throwing out millions of depreciated paper upon the people—selling their specie at large premiums, and buying up their own paper at discounts of from 25 to 50 per cent., and now looking forward to be indulged in these speculations for years to come, before they resume specie payments."—Gen. Jackson to Blair.

Reader, what think you of the President's sincerity? and what of the Ex-President's amiability?

GLORIOUS NEWS.

Another State has spoken 'trumpet tongued.' RHODE ISLAND has sounded another blast in the ears of our tyrants! The Whigs have carried the State by ONE THOUSAND VOTES. Tillinghast and Cranson, Whigs, are elected over their Van Buren opponents. The States of Tennessee, Indiana, Kentucky, North Carolina, and Rhode Island, have come up to the rescue—will Mississippi be the last to be aroused to a sense of her duty? Let the Whigs be united in November, and we shall have nothing to fear.—Southern Whig.

There is perhaps no part of the United States in which Gen. Jackson is treated with more severity and contempt, than at his own door, the Hermitage district. There he is well known to be ignorant, vindictive, and totally unworthy of public confidence. We have the Nashville Banner before us, in which the ex-President's Bank notions are carefully collated and compared. His inconsistency, dishonesty, and ignorance are exposed in a masterly manner; and as the article embraces a clear and succinct account of the executive usurpations which led to our present difficulties, we intend to publish the article in our next.—Sentinel & Expositor.

The prices of good houses has fallen 50 per cent. in New York within a few months.

OBITUARY.

Departed this life on Monday evening, the 25th instant, after a protracted illness, Mrs. CHARLOTTE F. GRAVES, consort of James J. Graves, of this county, in the 24th year of her age. Cut off in the prime of life, leaving an only child and a disconsolate husband, with a numerous circle of friends to mourn their irreparable loss, indeed we feel that there is a vacuum left in our neighborhood which cannot be filled. With a mind well cultivated, she possessed all those amiable qualities which adorn and beautify the female character. But Death, that fell destroyer of the human family, has laid his cold and withering hand upon her; yet there is left a sweet and cheering consolation, that one possessing all these great and good qualities must be happy.

DIED.—On Monday evening, the 25th instant, ALEXANDER CALVIN, only son of William Hughes, of this county, aged 6 years 7 months and 9 days.

Oh, lovely child, far could we hear
The happy babe's voice,
We would not drop another tear,
But triumph and rejoice.

DIED.—On Monday morning five o'clock, Mr. THOMAS SWEARINGEN, soldier of the Revolution, and for the last 30 years a resident of this county.

ONE KID REWARD.

MY Two Goats, Adam and Eve, left this land of Liberty on Sunday night last, for New Jerusalem. Adam is of rather a dunish color, Eve is of a fairer complexion, and no doubt enticed Adam away. Any person apprehending the above runaways, shall receive the above reward. W. R. CARTER.
October 3, 1837. 42-2

NOTICE.

LETTERS Testamentary having been granted to the undersigned at the honorable the Probate Court of Amite county, on the estate of Allen Tarver, deceased,—Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and all those having claims against the same, to present them duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred.

ANNA TARVER.
JOHN TERRELL,
Executors.

Oct. 3, 1837. 42-6

NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned at the September Term of the honorable the Probate Court of Amite county, on the Estate of David Montgomery, deceased,—Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said Estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, to present them duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred.

WM. JONES,
Administrator.

Oct. 3, 1837. 42-6

NOTICE.

AT the November Term, 1837, of the Honorable the Probate Court of Amite county, I will present my account on the estate of David Cage, deceased, for final settlement and allowance.

MILTON WHITTINGTON, Admr.

October 3, 1837. 42-6

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the firm of Shuler & Travis, on last year's accounts, are requested to come forward and make settlement, either by cash or note.

WILLIAM TRAVIS.

October 3, 1837. 42-5

NOTICE.

ALL those indebted to the undersigned for subscription, job work or advertising, are earnestly requested to come forward and settle on or before the 14th of October next. Imperious necessity compels him to make this call, which he hopes will not pass unheeded. Remittances by mail may be made at his risk.

L. P. HALL.

September 25, 1837.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI—Amite county.

To all persons interested in the real estate of G. G. Caston, deceased—GREETING:

YOU are hereby cited to be and appear before the Honorable the Probate Court of Amite county, on the fourth Monday in November next, and shew cause, if any you can, why an order should not then and there be made authorizing and directing the administrator of said deceased to sell the following described land, belonging to the said deceased, to-wit:—The North-East quarter of section three, of range four East, and the North-West quarter of same section, township and range, of lands directed to be sold at Washington, Mississippi.

WITNESS the Honorable John Walker, presiding Judge of the Probate Court of said county, the fourth Monday of September, in the year of our

Lord, 1837.
ISSUED, 25th Sept. 1837.
S. R. DAVIS, Clerk.
September 25, 1837. 41-8

NOTICE.

TO close up the business of the firm of Germany & Sevan, I will sell on the 23d day of October next, to the highest bidder, their entire stock of goods, comprising a handsome assortment of fresh and well selected goods. Terms made known on the day of sale.

R. GERMANY,
Surviving partner of the firm of Germany & Sevan.
Centerville, Amite co.
September 26, 1837. 41-4w.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, Amite Circuit Court, Amite County, ss. Attachment for the sum of \$200 and two cents.

W. J. SWEARINGEN, vs. H. SPILLMAN, Esq., a Justice of the Peace in and for the county of Amite, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of W. J. Swearingen, defendant, for the above sum of Two Hundred and Two Dollars and twenty cents, returnable to the October Term next of the Amite Circuit Court; to be holden on the second Monday in October, 1837; and unless the said defendant shall appear, give special bail, and plead or demur within the time prescribed for appearance at said Term, judgment final will be demanded against the property attached, and the property so attached, will be sold and applied to the payment of the plaintiff's demands and all costs.

E. M. DAVIS, Clerk.
CRAWFORD, Att'y for Plff.
Sept. 12, 1837. 39-4

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, Amite Circuit Court, Amite County, ss. Attachment for the sum of \$93 24.

JOHN EADY, Jr. vs. W. J. SWEARINGEN. NOTICE is hereby given, that on the 25th day of August, 1837 John Eady, Jr. plaintiff in this case, applied for and obtained an attachment from John Walker, Esq. Justice of the Peace in and for the county of Amite, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of W. J. Swearingen, defendant, for the above sum of Ninety-three Dollars and twenty-four cents, returnable to the October Term next of the Amite Circuit Court, to be holden on the second Monday in October, 1837; and unless the said defendant shall appear, give special bail, and plead or demur within the time prescribed for appearance at said Term, judgment final will be demanded against the property attached, and the property so attached will be sold and applied to the payment of the plaintiff's demands and all costs.

E. M. DAVIS, Clerk.
CRAWFORD, Att'y for Plff.
Sept. 5, 1837. 38-4

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, Amite Circuit Court, Amite County, ss. Attachment for the sum of \$50 73 1/2.

THOMAS J. GORDON vs. W. J. SWEARINGEN. NOTICE is hereby given, that on the 29th day of August, 1837, Thomas J. Gordon, plaintiff in this case, applied for and obtained an attachment from John Walker, Esq., a Justice of the peace in and for the county of Amite, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of W. J. Swearingen, defendant, for the above sum of Fifty Dollars and seventy-nine and three-fourth cents, returnable to the October Term next of the Amite Circuit Court, to be holden on the second Monday in October, 1837, and unless the said defendant shall appear, give special bail, and plead or demur within the time prescribed for appearance at said Term, judgment final will be demanded against the property attached, and the property so attached will be sold and applied to the payment of the plaintiff's demands and all costs.

E. M. DAVIS, Clerk.
CRAWFORD, Att'y for Plff.
Sept. 5, 1837. 38-4

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, Amite Circuit Court, Amite County, ss. Attachment for the sum of \$237 65.

H. P. POSTLETHWAITE & CO. vs. W. J. SWEARINGEN. NOTICE is hereby given, that on the 30th day of August, 1837, H. P. Postlethwaite & Co., plaintiffs in this case, applied for and obtained an attachment from John Walker, Esq., a Justice of the peace in and for the county of Amite, against the goods and Chattels, lands and tenements of W. A. Swearingen, defendant, for the above sum of Two Hundred and Thirty-seven Dollars and Sixty-five cents, returnable to the October Term next of the Amite Circuit Court, to be holden on the second Monday in October, 1837; and unless the said defendant shall appear, give special bail, and plead or demur within the time prescribed for appearance at said Term, judgment final will be demanded against the property attached, and the property so attached will be sold and applied to the payment of the plaintiff's demands and all costs.

E. M. DAVIS, Clerk.
DILLINGHAM, Att'y for Plff.
Sept. 5, 1837. 38-4

VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND

FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers his tract of land on which he lives, for sale on the best of terms, with considerable indulgence to the purchaser. Said land lies in Amite county, six miles northwest of Liberty, on the west prong of the Amite river. It has on it a three story dwelling house and all other buildings situated to the convenience and comfort of the Planter; it has on it a fine gin, &c. The situation is remarkably healthy, surpassed by none in the State. Any person wishing to purchase would do well to give me a call between this and the first of January next. The purchaser can buy from one to three sections of land. I will also sell horses, hogs, and cattle of good quality; farming utensils, blacksmith tools, &c. Any person wishing to receive any information respecting the above described land, and will direct a letter to Liberty, I will give them any information they wish.

WILLIAM BATES.
Sept. 26, 1837. 41-

Runaway Committed. WAS committed to the Jail of Pike county, State of Mississippi, by James Y. McNabb, a Justice of the Peace, a negro boy, who calls his name William, and says he belongs to John Holmes, living in Sandy creek, Franklin county, Mississippi. William is about five feet two inches and a half high, of dark complexion—has a scar on his right eye by the kick of a horse—has an iron ring round each leg—about seventeen years of age—has on an old cotton shirt and pantaloons of the same. The owner of the above described negro is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be sold as the law directs in such cases.

R. T. SPARKMAN,
Sh'ff. and Jailor of Pike Co.
Sept. 26, 1837. 41-1f.

THE candidates for the Legislature, in the county of Amite, are respectfully invited to attend a meeting on the first SATURDAY IN SEPTEMBER, at William Denman's Store, on the Jackson road, 16 miles from Liberty, prepared to address the people on the political questions of the day. A dinner, in all probability, will be prepared. The people of the county are invited to attend.

MANY CITIZENS
residing within Smith's Precinct.
The day for the above meeting has been postponed to the FIRST SATURDAY IN OCTOBER, (the 7th) in consequence of its interfering with the Camp-meeting in that neighborhood.

NOTICE.
LETTERS testamentary having been granted to the undersigned at the March Term, 1837, of the Honorable the Probate Court of Amite county, on the estate of Charley Rhodes, deceased,—Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated within the time prescribed by law or they will be forever barred.

CHAS. R. WEBB, Executor.
May 22, 1837. 25-6

NOTICE.
THE legal heirs of the Estate of Mark A. Sanders, deceased, are requested to call on the undersigned and get their money.

ROBT LONGMIRE, Admr.
Sept. 5, 1837. 38-4t

NOTICE.
AT the September term of the Honorable the Orphans' Court of Amite county, I will present my account for final settlement and allowance, on the estate of David Kinabrew, deceased.

HENRY HUNT.
August 22, 1837. 36-4t

NOTICE.
GOOD accommodation can be had at the Old Stand of THOMAS McDOWELL, Liberty, for HORSES and HORSE DROVERS.

JOHN STRIBLING.
Sept. 12, 1837. 39-4t

JAMES M. SMILEY,
Attorney and Counselor at Law,
will practice in the several Courts of Amite and the adjacent counties.—Office in Liberty, Mississippi.
August 8, 1837. 34-1f

V. T. CRAWFORD will, in future, continue to practice Law in the Circuit Courts of Amite, Pike and Franklin, and will extend his circuit to the county of Copiah. Business also in the Probate Court of Amite, will meet with his particular attention.—Office in the lower apartment of the Jail, occupied by the Sheriff.
August 6, 1836.

Candidates—November Election.

For the Legislature,
James J. Graves, | Edmund Smith.
James Jenkins.

For Judge of Probate,
John Walker.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Elijah M. Davis.

For Clerk of the Probate Court,
Stephen R. Davis.

For County Treasurer,
Samuel Tillotson.

For Coroner,
Samuel B. Moore, | R. B. Haygood.

For Sheriff,
Jas. M. Norwood | Chas. W. McKnight.

For Tax Collector,
Robert L. Torrance, | Wm. A. Jackson.
Young F. Griffin, | Elisha L. Tarver,
Lawrence Talbert, | Gyllum A. Hudson.

For Attorney, third Judicial District.
Charles C. Cage, | H. M. Farish.

For County Surveyor,
James Little.
For Judge High Court of Errors & Appeals
Cotesworth P. Smith.